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Atty. Docket No. 45163-1005

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In re Application of:)	Group Art Unit:	1645
Gayle DACE et al.)		
Serial No.: 09/879,279)	Examiner:	To be assigned
Filed: June 12, 2001)		
For: IN VITRO CAPTURE OF NUCLEIC)		
ACIDS VIA MODIFIED)		
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MAGNETIC BEADS)		

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER And
RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371, mailed August 10, 2001, enclosed please find the following. Items 1-4 are in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application:

1. Return copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371, mailed August 10, 2001;
2. Check in the amount of \$280.00 to cover the surcharge for late filing of the declaration, extension fee and Assignment Recordation fee;

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Mail Service as First Class Mail on the date shown below with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to: Box Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Date of Deposit: November 1, 2001

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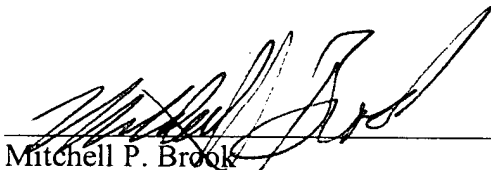
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3. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by the inventors;
4. Substitute Drawings in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.84;
5. Assignment;
6. Recordation Form Cover Sheet;
7. Petition for Extension of Time (1 mo.); and
8. Fee Transmittal.

Although it is believed no additional fee is due for this filing, in the event that the Examiner determines an additional fee is due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our deposit account, No. 02-0410 in the name of Baker & McKenzie. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

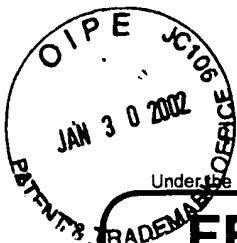
Respectfully submitted,



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C m p l e if Known

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First Named Inventor	Gayle DACE et al.
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METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

Deposit Account Number 02-04210

Deposit Account Name Baker & McKenzie

☒ Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed:

☒ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
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101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee	
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106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	
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107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	
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108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	
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114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	
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SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 0.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	-20** =	X	
Multiple Dependent	-3** =	X	

Large Entity Small Entity

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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
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102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
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104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
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109	84	209	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
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SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 0.00

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee Description	Fee Paid		
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	130.00
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
					110.00
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40.00
146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify)

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) 280.00

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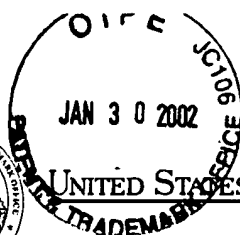
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09/879,279	06/12/2001	Gayle Dace	45163-1005

CONFIRMATION NO. 3524

FORMALITIES LETTER



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Date Mailed: 08/10/2001

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

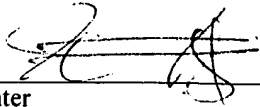
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'ZAS', is written over a horizontal line.

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